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AUG 25 2004***AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Non-Final Office Action mailed May 26, 2004. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

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## CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1) (Column 2)

TOTAL CLAIMS	51	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	51 minus 20=	31
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4 minus 3 =	1
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT		<input type="checkbox"/>

\* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

## CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

AMENDMENT A		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
		Minus	**	=	
	Total	* 53	Minus	** 51	= 2
	Independent	* 8	Minus	*** 4	= 4
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				<input type="checkbox"/>	

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SMALL ENTITY  
TYPE  OR OTHER THAN  
SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEES	RATE	FEES
BASIC FEE	385.00	OR BASIC FEE	770.00
XS 9=		OR XS18=	578
X43=		OR X86=	84
+145=		OR +290=	
TOTAL		OR TOTAL	1414

OTHER THAN  
SMALL ENTITY  
OR SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
XS 9=		OR XS18=	36.0
X43=		OR X86=	34.0
+145=		OR +290=	
TOTAL ADDT. FEE		OR TOTAL ADDT. FEE	

AMENDMENT B		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
		Minus	**	=	
	Total	* 53	Minus	**	=
	Independent	* 8	Minus	***	=
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				<input type="checkbox"/>	

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
XS 9=		OR XS18=	
X43=		OR X86=	
+145=		OR +290=	
TOTAL ADDT. FEE		OR TOTAL ADDT. FEE	

AMENDMENT C		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
		Minus	**	=	
	Total	* 53	Minus	**	=
	Independent	* 8	Minus	***	=
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				<input type="checkbox"/>	

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
XS 9=		OR XS18=	
X43=		OR X86=	
+145=		OR +290=	
TOTAL ADDT. FEE		OR TOTAL ADDT. FEE	

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- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20."
- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3."

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.